

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: RESTORATION OF AGRICULTURAL LANDS DURING AND AFTER PIPELINE CONSTRUCTION	DOCKET NO. RMU-99-10
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ORDER TERMINATING RULE MAKING PROCEEDING

(Issued May 15, 2000)

On September 15, 1999, the Board issued an order commencing a rule making to receive public comment on the adoption of land restoration rules. The Notice of Intended Action was published in the IAB Vol. XXII, No. 7 (10/6/99) p. 573, as ARC 9400A. Written comments were filed on or before October 28, 1999, and a workshop to receive oral comments was held on November 17, 1999.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code § 17A.4(1)"b" (1999), the Utilities Board terminates the rule making. This proceeding has been identified as Docket No. RMU-99-10, In re: Restoration of Agricultural Lands During and After Pipeline Construction.

The Board will issue an Order Initiating Rule Making and Notice of Intended Action in the near future to receive additional comment on a new set of proposed land restoration rules.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The rule making initiated in the Notice of Intended Action published in the IAB Vol. XXII, No. 7 (10/6/99) p. 573, as ARC 9400A, is terminated.

2. The Executive Secretary is directed to submit for publication in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin a notice in the form attached to and incorporated by reference in this order.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Allan T. Thoms

/s/ Susan J. Frye

ATTEST:

/s/ Raymond K. Vawter, Jr.
Executive Secretary

/s/ Diane Munns

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 15th day of May, 2000.

UTILITIES DIVISION [199]

Notice of Termination

Pursuant to Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)"b", the Iowa Utilities Board (Board) gives notice that on May 15, 2000, the Board issued an order in Docket No. RMU-99-10, In re: Restoration of Agricultural Lands During and After Pipeline Construction, "Order Terminating Rule Making."

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Chairperson